



# Savoy Mountain State Forest

Department of Conservation and Recreation

## JULY—AUGUST 2023 PROGRAMS

All programs are free and open to the public. An adult must accompany children. Reasonable accommodations available upon advanced request. The Campground Contact Station is located at 300 Central Shaft Road, Florida, MA. For more information call (413) 663-8469.

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| ONGOING,<br>DAILY                    | <b>CAMPGROUND SCAVENGER HUNT</b><br>For children, but all welcome. Explore the campground in an eye-opening way. Search for items that tell a deeper story of place. Return to chat with park staff about your finds! Pick up your Scavenger Hunt at the Campground Contact Station.   |
| TUESDAYS                             | <b>NICE &amp; EASY HIKE, 10:00—11:30 a.m.</b><br>Easy guided walk geared to seniors, but open to all. Enjoy Haskins Trail to Bog Pond. Discover the flora, fauna, pond, and unique aspects of the surrounding landscape. Dress appropriately for weather and bring water. Hiking poles recommended.  |
| WEDNESDAY,                           | <b>OUR WILDLIFE NEIGHBORS, 10:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.</b><br>All ages. Touch, feel and learn more about the interesting animals that live in the surrounding forest. Compare your hand to a bear’s paw, or a beaver’s teeth. Located at North Pond Day-Use Area.  |
| THURSDAYS                            | <b>OUR WILDLIFE NEIGHBORS, 10:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.</b><br>All ages. Touch, feel, and discover more about the interesting animals that inhabit the park and surrounding forests. Compare your hand to a bear track or the fur of a bobcat. Located at Campground Contact Station.   |
| THURSDAYS                            | <b>FAMILY-FRIENDLY HIKE, 2:00—3:30 p.m.</b><br>All ages. Join an interpreter for a guided hike along one of Savoy’s easy nature trails. Learn more about the history of the park and its unique wildlife. Meet at Campground Nature Center. Directions available from Contact Station  |
| FRIDAYS                              | <b>AQUATIC DETECTIVES, 10:00—11:00 a.m.</b><br>Ages 5-10. Come join us to explore what we can catch with our nets and learn a little bit more about pond life. Meet at the North Pond Boat Ramp.   |
| FRIDAYS                              | <b>OUR WILDLIFE NEIGHBORS, 2:00—4:00 p.m.</b><br>All ages. Touch, feel, and discover more about the interesting animals that inhabit the park and surrounding forests. Compare your hand to a bear track or the fur of a bobcat. Located at Campground Contact Station.  |
| SATURDAYS                            | <b>TYKE HIKE, 9:30—10:30 a.m.</b><br>Ages 3-6, with parent/guardian. Siblings welcome. Join us for a short nature-themed story and then a short walk on an easy trail. Encounter wildlife, interesting insects, and plants. Meet at the Campground Nature Center. Directions available from Campground Contact Station.                            |
| SATURDAYS,<br>JULY 15 &<br>AUGUST 12 | <b>CAMPFIRE, 7:00—8:30 p.m.</b><br>All ages. Gather ‘round the campfire! Encounter starry night skies, owls, bats, or a spooky local legend. Bring bug spray, your favorite camp chair, your own s’mores supplies if you’d like, and a flashlight to find your way back to your campsite. Ask at Contact Station for location. Heavy rain cancels. |